

Michigan Annual Fall Conference Agenda 2023

"NAVIGATING OUT OF THE PANDEMIC"



08:15-09:00 **Registration, breakfast, viewing of exhibits**

09:00-09:15 **Conference Begins Welcoming Remarks**

09:15-10:30 **CDC Pediatric and Adolescent Update**

The speaker will provide information on the most recent and significant developments in the rapidly changing field of immunization. Anticipated topics may include COVID-19, human papillomavirus, influenza, meningococcal, tetanus, diphtheria, and pertussis. The recommendations of the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) for the use of vaccines for children and adolescents will be discussed, as well as strategies to improve vaccination rates.

Learning Objective: List two recent vaccine recommendations made by the ACIP.

Speakers: Dr. Andrew Kroger – October 11 & 12, 2023 & JoEllen Wolicki – November 6, 8, & 9, 2023

10:30-10:45 **Break with Exhibitors**

10:45-11:30 **CDC Adult Update**

The speaker will provide information on the most recent and significant developments in the rapidly changing field of immunization. Some anticipated topics may include COVID-19, influenza, meningococcal, tetanus, diphtheria, and pertussis. The recommendations of the ACIP for the use of vaccines for adults will be discussed, as well as strategies to improve vaccination rates.

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11:30-12:00 **Michigan Update**

A Michigan specific immunization update will be the target of this presentation which will include a review of the state's immunization coverage and waiver rates. The importance of immunizing on time with all the recommended vaccines will be highlighted as we review the immunization challenges in Michigan. Navigating immunizations post-pandemic will be addressed with a look at Michigan Strategies to increase immunization rates. The speakers will discuss the importance of a strong provider recommendation and the importance of recommending all the recommended vaccines. Include MCIR update.

Learning Objective: Describe two of Michigan's top immunization priorities for 2024

Speakers: Ryan Malosh – October 11 & 12, 2023 & Heidi Loynes– November 6, 8, & 9, 2023

12:00 -01:00 Lunch

01:00-01:15 Awards

01:15-02:15 Immunization Conversations – Building Trust and Acceptance with Vaccines

Looking at vaccine conversations from a neutral and accepting perspective to help re-build and gain trust in immunizations. This portion of the day will consist of Immunization Nurse Educators as moderators working with a trusted physician role-playing questions you may encounter in your office regarding vaccines and how to address them. Resources will be provided at the end of each role-play situation.

Learning objective: List two immunization conversation strategies

Speaker: Sarah de Ruiter

02:15-02:45 Back to Basics – Using Resources to Avoid Common Vaccine Errors

This presentation will address vaccine errors and ways to avoid them through resources from Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Immunize.org, etc. Case scenarios will be used to demonstrate accurate vaccine assessment.

Learning Objective: Describe two immunization resources that can be used when assessing patients.

Speaker: Dianne Ankley

02:45-03:00 Break

03:00-03:30 EPI Presentation- Clusters of under vaccination, provider deserts, and preventing the next outbreak of vaccine preventable diseases in Michigan

This presentation will explore small scale geographic areas throughout the state of Michigan with low vaccine coverage as well as areas with few providers for routine immunizations. The presenter will share information on these geographic areas as well as updates on the incidence of vaccine preventable disease (VPD). Ongoing efforts to increase vaccine coverage and access, and decrease outbreaks of VPDs throughout the state will be shared.

Learning Objective: To identify small geographic areas in Michigan that are vulnerable to outbreaks of vaccine preventable diseases and learn what initiatives MDHHS is taking to prevent future outbreaks.

Speaker: Taylor Olsabeck

03:30-04:30 Troubleshooting with the experts

Panel: CDC speaker, Dr. Malosh, Taylor Olsabeck, Sarah de Ruiter or Dianne Ankley. Heidi Loynes to moderate

